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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

12 THE AMERICAN INSURANCE
 13 COMPANY,

14 Plaintiff,

15 v.

16 LIBERTY SURPLUS INSURANCE
 17 CORPORATION; and DOES 1 through
 18 50,

19 Defendants.

CASE NO: 5:11-CV-03159-LHK

*Case assigned to the San Jose Courthouse
 Courtroom 8, Honorable Lucy H. Koh*

**THE AMERICAN INSURANCE
 COMPANY'S REQUEST TO APPEAR
 TELEPHONICALLY AT CASE
 MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**

Date: December 21, 2011
 Time: 2:00 p.m.
 Courtroom: 8

20 In accordance with Local Rule 16-10, plaintiff The American Insurance Company
 21 ("American") requests leave of court to attend by telephone the Case Management Conference
 22 scheduled to occur on December 21, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. This request is made on the basis that
 23 counsel for American is located in Southern California, and that a personal appearance will
 24 necessitate air travel and attendant costs. The matters to be addressed at the Case Management
 25 Conference can be handled as effectively by telephone as by a personal appearance.

26 DATE: November 15, 2011

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